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Excerpt of pertinent information:

SO-35950--1. On 15 January 1950 a meeting was held in the office of Gabriel-Badarau, dissident Rumanian Socialist, to discuss the creation of a relief organization to supplant CAROMAN. Among those participating were Emil-Vasiliu-Cluj, lawyer, Eftimie Gherman, dissident Socialist, and Stefan Cosmovici, a supporter of General Nicolae Radescu. Those individuals, together with M. M. Rautu and Alexander Bunesco, members of the National Peasant Party, are adherents of General Radescu and are using him in an effort to gain control of relief activities.

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P. 3—General Dumitru PETRESCU, former Military Attache in Washington, former Secretary General of the War Ministry under RADESCU. . .

P. 4—Still another opponent to the Committee is Carol DAVILA, leader of the Rumanians in exile in America; however, he is in support of RADESCU. . .

Also opposed to the Committee are the members of the military group headed by Platon CHIRNOAGA. This group is nevertheless in favor of General RADESCU. . .

The Central Committee has not received the support of the greater portion of the Iron Guard which has remained faithful to Horia SIMA. The Guard is attempting to remain absolutely neutral in the conflicts between the various Rumanian political parties. Because of the political nature of the Committee, the Guard has not wanted representation. They have, however, declared that they would support any organization headed by General RADESCU if that organization had the support of the King, the confidence of the Western Powers and the approval of the people. They insist that party interests, private ambitions, incriminations and reprisals be put aside and that the one objective be the effective organization for the liberation of the country. . .

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